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## DATA SECTOR ERROR TRACKING AND CORRECTION MECHANISM

### ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5           A method is provided for reducing growth errors in disc drive.  
First, a number of sectors to be read is determined. Data is then read  
from all sectors of the number of sectors on a disc during a first disc  
revolution. Next, error sectors having a number of errors above a  
predetermined threshold are identified. The error sectors are then  
10       corrected and written to the disc during a second disc revolution. In  
addition, a disc drive having a controller for implementing the above  
method is provided.

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